

1 with respect to it -- is we didn't really know when you
2 say "appoint counsel" what you end up with.

3 Apparently, if you put the word "counsel" in
4 there without any authority for the legislature to qualify
5 by law what the duties and functions will be, apparently
6 all his powers will flow from the constitution.

7 You said you have not researched the problem.
8 We had that same tought, too. We hadn't researched it
9 so didn't know what we were putting in the constitution.

10 Do you know what the powers and duties of this
11 individual would be just by virtue of the word "counsel"
12 in the constitution?

13 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Gallagher.

14 DELEGATE GALLAGHER: I would believe that the
15 General Assembly could implement those powers and spell
16 out with more definiteness the powers of the counsel of the
17 governor.

18 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Sickles.

19 DELEGATE SICKLES: If they were spelled out in
20 detail, they could reduce them down to a minimum so that
21 they would mean practically nothing, too, could they not?